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Re: U.S. Application No. 09/919,477
Filed: July 30, 2001
Title: ***Novel Methods and Compositions to Upregulate, Redirect
or Limit Immune Responses to Peptides, Proteins and
Other Bioactive Compounds and Vectors Expressing the
Same***

Inventors: Adrian BOT *et al.*
Atty. Docket: 17945.014

Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S.
Patent and Trademark Office (PTO):

1. an Information Disclosure Statement;
2. a PTO-1449 Form with (3) accompanying references; and
3. a return postcard.

Please stamp the attached postcard with the filing date of these documents and return it to
our courier.

Applicants do not believe any fees are due in conjunction with this filing. However, if
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fees for extensions of time, then the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to
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Respectfully submitted,

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

The attention of the Examiner is invited to the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are submitted herewith.

It is respectfully requested that the information above be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom. However, Applicants make no representation or admission that the cited references constitute "prior art" to the claims of the present application.

CERTIFICATION AND/OR FEE

Because this Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted prior to issuance of the first action on the merits of the above-captioned application, no certification or fee is required.

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